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Applicant: Jim Hunter, et al.

Serial No. 09/553,923

Filed: April 20, 2000

Title: Biological Safety Cabinet
with Improved Air Flow

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**SUBMISSION OF SMALL ENTITY AND
REQUEST FOR CREDIT TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

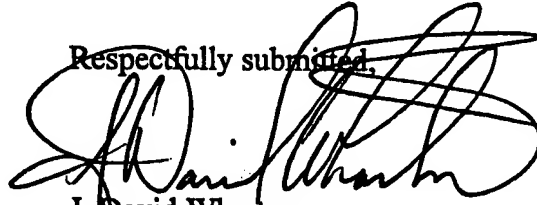
Dear Sir:

On May 1, 2000, Deposit Account No. 19-2112 was charged \$1,368.00 under fee codes 101, 102 and 103 (Control Nos. 160, 161 and 162) in connection with filing of the subject application. Applicant's application cover letter authorized charging the filing fee based upon small entity, but apparently no small entity statement was included.

The Deposit Account holder was unaware this charge had been made, and thus the need to request a credit and submit the small entity statement, because the Deposit Account statement was not received until early July. By that time, however, the two month time period for requesting a credit and submitting the small entity statement had passed.

Submitted herewith is a freshly executed Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status. In view of the delay on the part of the Office in mailing the Deposit Account Statement, which delay made it impossible to submit this request within the two month time period, it is respectfully requested that a credit in the amount of \$684.00 (representing the difference between the fee charged and that required for small entity applicants) be applied to Deposit Account No. 19-2112 at this time.

Respectfully submitted,



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☐ Extension of Time
☐ Amendment ☒ Response
☐ Formal Dwgs ☐ Issue Fee
☐ Assignment
☐ Maintenance Fee
☐ Amendment to Allege Use
☐ Statement of Use
☐ 8&15 ☐ Renewal Appln.
☐ Status Inquiry
☒ Check: \$65.00
☒ Other: Sub of Sm. Entity
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Re: Deposit Account 19-2112 - Credits Never Received

Dear Sir:

Attached are copies of several papers wherein requests for credit to Deposit Account 19-2112 were made. These credits have never been applied. For your convenience, below is a summary of these requests. Please advise when they may be expected.

Date	Ref. No.	Ser/Reg. No.	Amount
05/24/99	IFEC.47197	5,766,066	100.00
07/19/00	CUMP.67369	09/281,442	55.00
07/27/00	HGIC.59762	1,567,981	300.00 100.00
08/09/00	FARI.63932	75/588,834	100.00
08/22/00	LABC.69892	09/553,923	684.00
09/05/00	SLRT.57334	0,894,547	200.00
12/14/00	SMPR.65031	75/640,121	150.00
01/25/01	KOCH.68595	09/426,116	27.00
03/13/01	CRNC.57415	75/151,569	300.00

Sincerely yours,

Nancy M. Steele

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